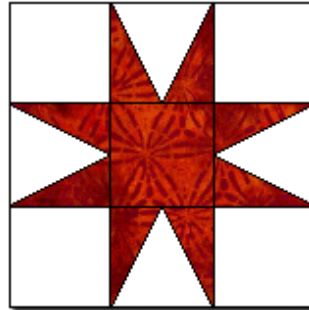


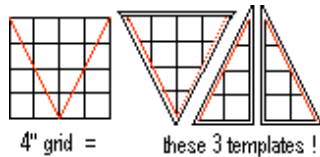
The Eight Pointed Star

This makes a 12" block!
 Let's get an early start on a Christmas quilt for next year!



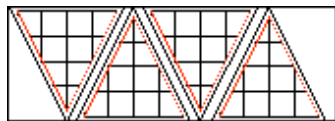
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** Preparing the Pieces and Sewing the Block **



4" grid = these 3 templates!

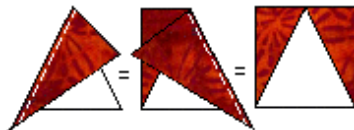
Time to Make The Templates! First make a four inch square with a 1" grid. (or use 1" ruled graph paper) Draw a line connecting the top left corner to the mid bottom point. Make another line from the mid bottom point to the upper right corner. Cut out the 3 sections and lay these on your chosen template material (Mylar, cardboard, etc)...**ADD 1/4 inch on all sides....**and cut out your templates!



Now lay your large triangle template atop the Color 2 5" x 20" strip. Trace around it once, then flip, trace, flip, trace, flip, trace, until you have four base triangles. Cut these out, using a rotary cutter and ruler...



Then lay your left side triangle template on the Color 1 6" x 20" strip, trace around it. Flip, trace, flip, trace, flip and trace to give you four of that triangle. Do the same with the right side triangle. Cut out, using a rotary cutter and ruler...



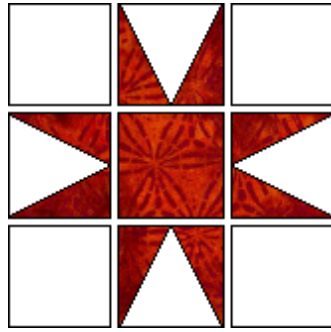
Now place a Color 1 side triangle atop a Color 2 base triangle, right sides together and slant edges aligned. Sew, using a 1/4" seam. Press the seam allowance towards the large center triangle. Repeat with another side triangle opposite that one as shown. These should measure 4-1/2". Make four of these...



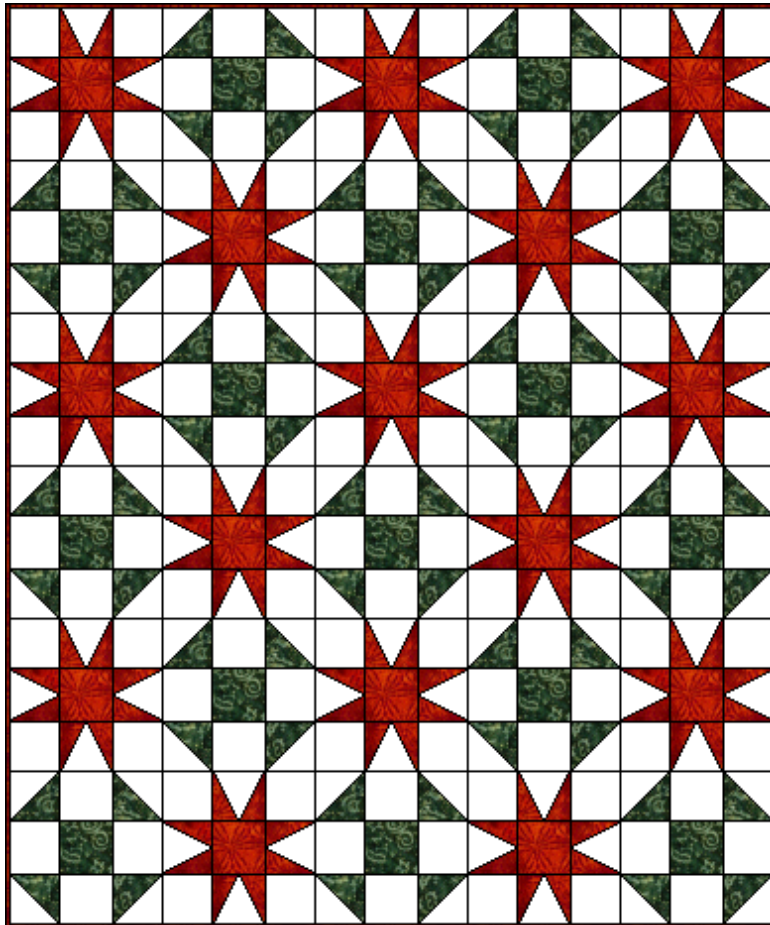
Then cut the Color 2 4-1/2" x 18" strip into four 4-1/2" squares...[on to Page 2!](#)



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Now lay out all units as shown at left, with the extra Color 1 4-1/2" square as the center unit. Sew three horizontal rows, and then join those rows to complete your block!



Here are fifteen of The Eight Pointed Star blocks, alternated with Shoofly Blocks!

Happy Quilting All!!

Marcia :o)

Here's Karlene's! Helen's!
Carolyn's

** Supplies List **



Color 1 Color 1 needs: one 4-1/2" square AND one 6" x 20" strip



Color 2 Color 2 needs: one 5" x 20" strip AND one 4-1/2" x 18" strip

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